15. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein dissolved oxygen is derived from air.

5, 3, 16. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein dissolved oxygen is derived from a gas source with an oxygen partial pressure of about 0.2 atmospheres.

17. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the aqueous solution is one of: drinking water, industrial waste water, or an industrial process liquor.

## **REMARKS**

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